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**Request
For
Continued Examination (RCE)
Transmittal**

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Application Number	09/765,981
Filing Date	January 19, 2001
First Named Inventor	Purnam Sheth
Art Unit	2155
Examiner Name	Benjamin R. Bruckart
Attorney Docket Number	CISCO-3189

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| 1. | Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 | Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). | | | | | | |
| <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____</p> <p>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>2. Miscellaneous</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> | | | | | | | | |
| <p>3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No._____. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;">i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)</td> <td style="width: 40%; vertical-align: bottom;">02/15/2005 WASFAW1 00000086 09765981</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17)</td> <td style="vertical-align: bottom;">01 FC:1801</td> </tr> <tr> <td>iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</td> <td style="vertical-align: bottom;">790.00 OP</td> </tr> </table> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of \$ <u>790.00</u> enclosed</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)</p> | | | i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) | 02/15/2005 WASFAW1 00000086 09765981 | ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17) | 01 FC:1801 | iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | 790.00 OP |
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Name (Print /Type)	Marc S. Hanish	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	42,626

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 FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005		Application Number	09/765,981
		Filing Date	January 19, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Purnam Sheth
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Examiner Name	Benjamin R. Bruckart
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 790.00)		Art Unit	2155
		Attorney Docket No.	CISCO-3189

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

- Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify) : _____
- Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 50-1698 Deposit Account Name: THELEN REID & PRIEST LLP

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 30 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Small Entity	
				Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
—20 or HP=	X	=	—	50	25

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
				Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

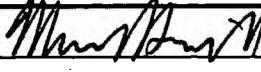
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

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